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SUBJECT: XXXXXXXXXXXX SOUNDS ALARM OVER
UNPROTECTED RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS

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Classified By: Ambassador Stephen A. Seche for reasons 1.4(b) and (d).

11. (S) The lone security guard standing watch at Yemen's main radioactive materials storage facility was removed from his post on December 30,
12. (S) Foreign Minister Abu Bakr al-Qirbi told the Ambassador on January 7 that no radioactive material was currently stored in Sana'a and the
13. (S) The NAEC nuclear material storage facility normally contains IAEA Category I and II amounts of iridium and cobalt-60, including a lead-

COMMENT

14. (S) Post will continue to push senior ROYG officials to increase security at all National Atomic Energy Commission facilities and provide u